

## LITTLE HOPE.

News From Mr. Geo. C. Atkinson, Seriously Ill at San Antonio, Texas.

### TROUBLE CAUSED BY MOUNTAIN CLIMBING.

Relatives Go to Him But Hope of Recovery is Nearly Abandoned.

Yesterday's telegrams brought news of the almost certain fatality of the illness of Mr. Geo. C. Atkinson, who was stricken at San Antonio, Texas, while en route home from Mexico. A message received just after noon from Mr. Chas. K. Long, Jr., of Louisville, who was his companion on the journey, saying that Mr. Atkinson's condition was growing worse and that the physicians gave no hope. Tuesday night the news was that the doctors thought the illness fatal but that the patient might recover and return home. There was not much ground for hope then but there was a bright side which gave some encouragement in the light of similar cases which had recovered. But friends have now practically given up hope.

Mrs. Atkinson, accompanied by Dr. E. A. Chatten, left Earlington via the L. & N. for San Antonio Monday and should have arrived there some time yesterday. Mr. Jno. B. Atkinson left yesterday afternoon to join them, going via Illinois Central through Memphis and New Orleans.

The dispatches say the illness had its rise, according to the physicians' diagnosis, in the rupture of a blood vessel in the brain caused by mountain climbing in high altitudes. Complications followed this and his condition has grown gradually worse. The patient is in the hands of the best physicians and nurses in San Antonio and everything that skill can do is being done.

Mr. George C. Atkinson has been a leading citizen of Earlington for about thirty years and one of the first officials in the St. Bernard Coal Co., and then the St. Bernard Mining Co., during most of that time. He is now secretary and treasurer of the St. Bernard Mining Co., and treasurer of the Victoria Coal Co. He is a leader in coal circles in this important coal field and a man of wide and large acquaintance, with many friends in many places. He has been prominent in Masonic circles of Kentucky and is widely known to Kentucky Masons.

As long as there is a shred of hope his friends hold to it, but were yesterday almost wholly discouraged.

### Child Burned to Death.

Elizabethtown, Ky., April 5.—Alice Cundiff, the eight-year-old daughter of W. D. Cundiff, of Rineyville, this county, was burned to death. Her clothing ignited from a stove and her flesh was burned into a crisp.

### Died

The infant son of Jas. Straker, aged one year and 2 months, died Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock of measles and pneumonia and was buried at Earlington cemetery Wednesday evening. The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of their many friends.

### Mrs. Bullen Declared Insane.

Mt. Vernon, Ky., April 5.—A jury this afternoon declared Mrs. Jane Bullen insane. She killed her 18 year old son, a cripple, last Friday by splitting his head with an ax. Mrs. Bullen will be taken to the Eastern asylum.

## BROAD SMILES

Adorn the Faces of Earlington and Madisonville Merchants Over Spring Trade.

There has been a surprising increase in trade in this city and Madisonville during the past two weeks and the merchants are again wearing the broad smiles which were their wont last fall.

During the past two weeks the streets have been blocked with people and the various livery and feed stables have been crowded with teams from the country. Many of the proprietors of business houses were visited Saturday and asked for an expression of their gain in trade. Each stated there had been a most healthy increase and that the month of March in many instances would surpass the same month last year.

The trade in dry goods and along millinery lines has been exceedingly heavy and even for the season of the year has been surprising.

The merchants naturally attribute a great deal of their success to judicious advertising in the county papers.

### James Johnson, Nephew of James B. Marcum, Shot Down From Ambush.

Jackson, Ky., April 2.—James Johnson, a nephew of the late J. B. Marcum, was shot and killed from a window by Bummer Spicer at George's Branch. Johnson came to protest against Roger Spicer, father of the murderer, rafting some logs. Johnson was warned to go away and started. Then a shot from a Winchester rifle in the Spicer home brought him to the ground. He lived a few hours. Johnson's friends say the murder was the result of laws not being enforced, as the Spicers had been threatening them. The killing is an outcome of the feud that caused Marcum's death.

### Up Against It.

The Evansville Economist has the following to say of John Mitchell:

"Well, we observe that President John Mitchell is to lead the insurgent forces in the Colorado coal miners' strike. That's a good place to bury this Janus-faced labor agitator. He will certainly fail in his game of duplicity in Colorado. Governor Peabody is not one of those executives who is willing to split hairs on so important an industrial matter, just for the sake of politics. Mitchell is up against it."

### Wants Big Alimony.

A special from Shelbyville, Ky., says: Mrs. Sophia Hardin McBrayer has filed a suit for divorce against her husband, James A. McBrayer, and also asks \$20,000 alimony. The plaintiff to the action is a sister of P. Wat Hardin, once candidate for governor. She states they have not lived together since 1901. She alleges that McBrayer wasted his money and was cruel and inhuman to her. She also asks the custody of her three children.

### TOBACCO FIRE

Warehouse of Rice Tobacco Co., at Greenville, Destroyed.

Greenville, Ky., March 31.—The warehouse of E. Rice Tobacco Manufacturing Co., here, burned this morning at 2 o'clock. Loss \$20,000 with insurance of about \$3,000. The origin of the fire is not known.

A big man can sometimes creep through a very small hole.

## CHURCH WORKERS

Call on Governor Beckham in the Interest of Caleb Powers.

### PROMINENT CHICAGO PEOPLE INTERESTED.

Chicago, April 4.—Resolution requesting Gov. Beckham, of Kentucky, to interfere in the case of Caleb Powers, convicted and sentenced to die for the murder of the late Geo. Goebel, have been adopted at a meeting of evangelists and Christian workers conducting services here under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church. The resolutions request Gov. Beckham to make use of the pardoning power, either setting Powers free or securing the convicted man a new trial.

The meeting was called by certain evangelists, whose sympathies had been aroused by acknowledged alleged conditions surrounding and causing the conviction of Caleb Powers. These men have friends who were present at every trial, and who say they are positive the man had a "political" hearing.

A committee has in charge the remitting of the resolutions to the Governor of Kentucky. Letters are being sent to the Governors of all the States and Territories in the Union requesting co-operation and formal remonstrance on the part of those officials. The chairman of the committee is Rev. W. E. Biederwolf. The secretary is Dr. W. A. Walton. Other men who signed both the resolutions which have been forwarded to Gov. Beckham and the letter which is being sent to other Governors are: Dr. John Robinson, Glasgow, Scotland; John H. Elliott, New York; Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, New York; Harry Maxwell, Greencastle, Ind.; O. F. Pugh, Joliet, Ill.; Frank Dixon, Oakland, Cal.; D. S. Toy, Baltimore, Md.; and George A. Fisher, Kalamazoo, Mich.

All of these ministers are in Chicago now, most of them having been called here to participate in the "Evangelistic Campaign" which has been under way in the city for the last two weeks and is still in progress.

### R. L. Jackson Goes to California.

Robert L. Jackson, who has been night operator for the L. & N. at Madisonville for the past eight years, will leave in a short time for California for his health. Mr. Jackson has been suffering considerably with catarrh for some time and hopes to be cured or benefited by the change. He is one of the best employes on the road and is always kind and obliging to the patrons. He is also the only operator on the Henderson division who can boast a clear record for six consecutive years and whose name appears on the honor roll for this length of time. The many and warm friends of Mr. Jackson hope to see him return at the end of his three months leave of absence entirely cured.

### State Encampment of Militia May Be Held at World's Fair.

Frankfort, Ky., April 2.—Gov. Beckham and Adj. Gen. Haley are considering a plan to hold the annual state encampment of militia within the World's Fair grounds at St. Louis in May. The railroad fare would be about the same as anywhere in the state and the soldiers would get to see the fair cheaply.

As long as we cling to sin we cannot get close to God.

## CLUBBED TO DEATH

Simon Williams was Clubbed to Death in Owensboro Saturday Morning by George Reid.

The trouble commenced in Holderman's saloon. Reid was sitting in a chair when Williams entered. Williams approached him and questioned him as to the whereabouts of his wife. Williams was a former policeman in Evansville, and was married to Reid's sister, since which time there has been more or less trouble between the two men, Williams claiming that Reid was trying to cause a separation between them. Hasty words passed and Reid and the bartender in the saloon thought he saw Williams reach for a weapon.

Reid then grabbed three glasses from the bar and hurled them at Williams' head. Williams soon brought his heavy fists into play and landed on Reid several times, inflicting a slight bruise over the left eye and this is the only wound he received during the entire affray.

When Williams' fists began to fly, Reid, who is a small man, began searching for heavier weapons. Sighting a club behind the bar he grabbed this and began striking Williams. The latter was driven from the saloon under the rain of blows Reid was directing at the top of his head and fell on the street. He died Sunday morning. Reid will plead justification.

### Miss Maggie Turner Entertains.

Miss Maggie Turner entertained a number of her friends Monday night. After spending several hours in playing games and other things appropriate refreshments were served and the guests separated at a late hour. The following were present:

Messrs. Mike Bohan Kate Whalen Maurice Lenihan Ellen Whalen H. T. Mulvaney Mary O'Brien Roy Ford Louise O'Brien Roy Henry Katie Hoffman Robt. Fenwick Irma O'Brien.

### James Hogan Dies of Heart Disease.

James Hogan, of White Plains, died suddenly Saturday of heart disease at W. A. Nisbet's livery stable in Madisonville. He and Mr. Nisbet were in conversation regarding the employment of Hogan at the stable, when without warning he fell over dead. He was about fifty years old, leaves a widow and one son by a former marriage and was an industrious, hard working citizen. He was buried at White Plains Sunday afternoon.

### APRIL WEATHER.

Hicks Predicts Snow and Numerous Storms for This Month.

Weather Prophet Irl R. Hicks says frost or snow and cold northerly winds will mark the opening of April. Plants and tender vegetation should be protected against the probability of killing frosts during the first three or four days of April.

About the 4th to the 6th hail storms may be expected. Rain, hail and thunder will be in evidence on the 11th, 12th and 13th. From the 16th to 17th it will be very warm, and tornado disturbances are to be apprehended. After behaving decently a day or two, vicious hail and thunder storms will break out April 21 to 25. Frost will follow. The month will close in a sharp storm. Hicks warns the people to watch the barometric conditions and storm developments at this time. Very general and severe storms are more than probable. This is a time when destructive hail and storms are almost a certainty in very many sections. Abnormal downpours of rain will also visit central to southern regions. The month will go out with high barometer, cold winds and frosty nights northwards.

## IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

That's What Ashby & Baker, a Leading Madisonville Firm, Think.

### TWENTY-EIGHT CLERKS KEPT BUSY SATURDAY.

Three weeks ago the dry goods firm of Ashby & Baker placed a page advertisement in The Bee advertising a loom-end sale to open on Saturday, April 2, and offering a suit of clothes to the person bringing the largest number of people in one wagon to their store between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. As a result of these advertisements wagon after wagon loaded with human freight was dumped in front of this successful business house and in an incredibly short time the house was so packed and jammed with people wanting to purchase goods the doors had to be locked and a doorkeeper stationed at the front to let people in and out. As soon as one had made his purchases he passed out and a dozen others struggled to take his place. This rush was kept up throughout the day. Twenty-eight clerks were kept busy all the time and the volume of business done was far beyond the wildest dream of the members of the firm. As a result of the advertisement in regard to the suit of clothes the wagons were loaded for all they would stand and every inch of available space was taken and people rode in all manner of ridiculous and ludicrous positions. Walter Davis, of Madisonville, succeeded in unloading the largest crowd, but was ruled out on account of not arriving before the time expired. The load Mr. Davis brought was astonishing and it seems incredible that he managed to stow away 140 people in one wagon, but such was the case. He rigged up an ox wagon with six wheels which was drawn by four yoke of oxen. Two men were astride of each ox and 124 people were piled in the wagon. Alvis E. Stanley, of near Mortons Gap, won the prize. He brought in and unloaded 84 people from one four horse wagon. They were packed in the wagon like sardines in a box and made quite a small army when marching into the store. The next largest load was brought by Tom James, of Manitou, who had 48 in his crowd, and there were a great many others who brought in loads ranging from 15 to 25. Ashby & Baker say that the loom-end sale has thoroughly demonstrated the fact in a forcible manner that "It pays to advertise."

Guthrie Graphic Suspends Publication. The Guthrie Graphic, which is at present being published at Guthrie, will be moved from that place to Slaughter'sville at once, and a new paper for that town will be started by the publisher of the paper at Guthrie, the one at Guthrie suspending publication. Married Wrong Couple, but let it Stand. Miss Pearl Owens and Guy M. Verse, of Sebree, Ky., went to Evansville Monday to be married, accompanied by Miss Z. Grayson and Robt. McCurry. After securing a license the four went to Magistrate Schrader, who through mistake married the wrong couple. Miss Grayson and Mr. McCurry decided to allow the ceremony to stand. The real principals were then married and a license was procured for Miss Grayson and Mr. McCurry and so the ceremony was complete.

## HOME FOR K. OF P. WIDOWS.

State Board Asks Various Cities for Bids, Will Cost \$25,000.

Notice has been sent out from the Board of Control of the Widows' and Orphans' Home Fund for Knights of Pythias of Kentucky that the committee desires bids for securing the State home by May 7, when they will be opened at the board's headquarters at Dayton, Ky.

The Knights of Pythias are desirous that as many cities as possible enter the contest to secure the home. It will mean the establishment of a creditable institution to cost not less than \$25,000, and the city securing it will each year, or at least at frequent intervals, be the one at which the K. of P. Grand Lodge will hold its annual sessions. A bonus of \$3,000 is all that is asked of the successful city for the location of the home, and competition promises to become very active.

It is likely that K. of P. lodges throughout the State will appoint committees to co-operate with public spirited citizens in an effort to secure the home.

## GUS M'INTOSH KILLED

By Louis Wilbert at Manning While in Conversation With a Negro.

### AN OLD GRUDGE WAS THE CAUSE

While Gus McIntosh, of Manning, was sitting talking to Frank Carney, colored, of Manning, Tuesday, he was killed by Louis Wilbert. Wilbert walked up to him and uttered a word pulled a pistol and began firing at him. The first shot took effect in his side and he fell to the ground and rolled over. Wilbert then fired four more shots into his prostrate form. The trouble originated several months ago while McIntosh was in the saloon business. Wilbert came in there one day drunk and started a row when he was ejected by McIntosh. After being put out, he fired a shot back into the saloon and McIntosh also shot at him. Wilbert is reported to have said at the time he would kill McIntosh at some future time. The negro Carney was the only witness to the killing. McIntosh was 25 years old and Wilbert 28. They are both of good families. Deputies Powers and Stanley went to Manning on 51 Tuesday and arrested Wilbert, taking him to Madisonville and placing him in jail there.

### Runaway Boys Captured.

Last Saturday Marshal Benton had in charge two youths named Joe Hill and Edgar Fitzsimmons who had left their home in Nashville without the consent of their parents. Mr. Benton received a message from the father of the Hill boy instructing him to hold the lads if they showed up in Earlington, which he did. Mr. Hill came up on 62 after learning that the boys were ready for delivery, and took them back to Nashville on 51.

### Days of Fiction Nearing.

Soon the fishing worms will begin to wiggle in the spring pocket and the juveniles will begin to con up the latest improved lingo. The dear teacher will open a small notebook and Johnnies will be in school.





# ...Our Great Mill and Loom-End Sale...

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## Saturday Night, April 16, 1904

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#### LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

R. T. Johnson, who has been clerk of Train Master F. H. Benjamin's office at Nashville, for some time, has been transferred to the Henderson Division as a fireman.

F. W. McCoy, machinist, who recently left Howell to work for the I. C. at Paducah, Ky., has returned to Howell to again work for the L. & N.

W. W. Cheek, assistant hostler for the L. C. at Princeton, is under arrest charged with stealing 500 pounds of brass belonging to the road and sending it to Evansville. He had a little too much "cheek," it would seem; or, too much "brass."

W. H. Schurman, of the Howell machine shop, went to Louisville on the first to get married.

Engineer E. W. Bonham received the news from his son, John Bonham, of Murphysboro, Ill., the other day that he had been made grandfather by the arrival of a new boy. Mr. Bonham is all smiles now, and why shouldn't he be?

With I. C. trains running into the L. & N. depot that place will be one of the liveliest spots in Evansville.

J. B. Huff, foreman of the roundhouse at Howell, was down with typhoid fever last week. Mr. E. J. Young, general foreman, acted in Mr. Huff's place, as well as attending to the duties of general foreman.

Col. Leo Hurd, city passenger agent of the L. & N., at Evansville, is in receipt of the following communication, which explains itself:

Robards, Ky., March 28, 1904.  
Dear Sir: I have requested to ask you one question, and that is this, Is there a Premium on a Silver Dollar dated in 1894. Or is it a fact, that One Silver Dollar made in 1894 will buy a round trip ticket to the World's fair at St. Louis or not. Please let me know the truth about it. And let me know at once if you please.

There is no premium on the '94 dollar and the anxious inquirer was so informed.

Harry Connnett was at Guthrie in the first measuring up the coal to that point.

Joseph Freuhwald, the well known boiler-maker at Howell, died with heart failure Sunday morning.

F. H. Benjamin, master of trains at Nashville, Tenn., has come to New York City to look for a fortune left him by his uncle.

Engineer W. L. Bohlen has returned to the K. D.  
Dan Buckley, of E. St. Louis, was at Howell last Friday.

L. Walker, the Nashville hoist engineer, recently transferred to the Henderson

division as a fireman, has been returned to that point to handle the steam wrecker.

Joseph Faust and family of Howell are visiting at E. St. Louis this week.

Conductor R. C. Smiley was struck in the forehead by bridge at Hopkinsville quarry while letting off brakes on top of a box car. Not seriously injured.

Engineer Frank Harrison has returned to the South & North at Birmingham, Ala.

Fireman L. T. White has quit.

Wm. Nanney of Idaho, formerly employed at Howell shops, was at Howell last week visiting his parents.

Engine 250 was pretty badly damaged in collision with the I. C. at Henderson Saturday night.

Clyde Carter was the guest of his brother, Stacer Carter, of Howell, the first of the week.

W. A. Mitchell, of Howell, went to Nashville Sunday.

Engine 116 has been turned over to the Memphis Line.

Mr. Walsh is getting his passenger engines in shape for the World's Fair business.

Suits aggregating \$54,900 have been filed in the Hopkins circuit court against the L. and N. railroad company. Seven different plaintiffs are seeking damages in amounts from \$400 to \$25,000. The \$25,000 suit is filed by Chas. A. Ellington's administrator.

W. F. Sheridan, formerly train master of the L. & N. at this place, writes a friend that he expects to visit Earlington friends in August.

The L. & N. is erecting a new water tank at this place making three in all.

Business on the H. D. is not quite so rushing as it was some weeks back although it is still good.

Brakeman Miles Cannon contemplates laying off a few days and visiting relatives at Guthrie.

Switchman Wm. Larmouth is on the sick list this week.

Conductor Blondin took the wrecker to Henderson Sunday to clean up a wreck.

Brakeman Bob Priest and wife visited relatives in Mortons Gap last Saturday and Sunday.

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#### Appropriation for Bridge.

Springfield, Ky., April 5.—The Washington Fiscal Court, in session, appropriates, not exceeding \$3,000, for the purpose of erecting a bridge at Maud, over Beech Fork. The appropriation is contingent upon Nelson county making a similar appropriation.

#### Valuable Horses Stolen.

Petersburg, Ky., April 5.—Thieves entered the barn lot of Robert Nixon, living two miles west of here, last night and stole three of his horses, valued at \$500.

Foley's Kidney Cure if taken in time affords security from all kidney and bladder diseases.  
\*Sold by Jno. X. Taylor.

#### J. O. Lester Appointed.

Kuttawa, Ky., April 5.—County Judge Crumbaugh today appointed J. O. Lester county attorney to fill out the unexpired term of the late Hon. Sam C. Molloy.

#### Will Return to Elkton.

Owensboro, Ky., April 5.—Dr. Thornton W. Perkins, one of the best known young physicians in Owensboro, will leave here Wednesday for his old home at Elkton, where he will locate to practice his profession.

A disordered stomach may cause no end of trouble. When the stomach fails to perform its functions the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested, causing numerous diseases, the most fatal of which are painless and therefore the more to be dreaded. The important thing is to restore the stomach and liver to a healthy condition, and for this purpose no better preparation can be used than Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlington.

#### Victim of Heart Disease.

Carlisle, Ky., April 5.—B. F. Congleton, aged 52, a prominent citizen and leading tobacco buyer of this city, died this morning of heart failure. He was stricken Sunday with paralysis and never regained consciousness.

#### Tax Suits Dismissed.

Emineance, Ky., April 5.—The suits brought by Frank A. Lucas, claiming to be a revenue agent for the State, against all the banks in Henry county, were dismissed by Judge B. F. Hill at New Castle.

#### Found Hanging in Cabin.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 5.—Washington Rose, a well-known farmer who lived three and a half miles north of Pembroke, committed suicide by hanging. His dead body was found hanging in a vacant cabin on his farm.

#### To Cure a Cold in One Day.

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#### WOMEN'S CLUBS

To Be Formed Throughout the Country to Protect Young Girls at St. Louis Fair.

The Louisville Herald says: The discovery of the formation of a syndicate in St. Louis to induce young women to the Exposition, under promise of employment, has aroused the women's clubs throughout the country to take action, with the purpose of thwarting the plans of this infamous company. The women of Louisville have taken the matter up, and it is possible that action will also be taken in Lexington by women's organizations.

Various plans to protect young women have been discussed. It is proposed to organize a Travelers' aid Society, members of which meet all unattended women at the trains, and learn if they have employment, to see that they find reputable homes, and to ascertain if they have money enough to take them to their homes, in case they should be thrown out of employment.

#### This Will Interest Many.

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#### John Nash Dead.

Versailles, Ky., April 5.—John Nash, aged seventy-four, store-keeper in the Internal Revenue Service, and well known citizen, died early this morning of heart disease after six weeks' illness. A widow and eight children survive him.

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WALL STREET









## HAD REVOLVERS AND DYNAMITE

Desperate Attempt of Four Convicts to Escape From the Missouri Penitentiary.

ALL WERE ARMED WITH PISTOLS AND HAD STICKS OF DYNAMITE.

They Had Got Out of Their Cells When Discovered, But Were Soon Overpowered and Placed in Other Cells—An Investigation Immediately Instituted.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 6.—A desperate attempt to escape from the Missouri penitentiary was made, Tuesday morning, by four convicts, heavily armed, and also carrying sticks of dynamite. They had succeeded in cutting their way out of the cells, and when Guard John Williams, in making his rounds, came upon them in the corridor, they called upon him to halt. Williams fled and gave the alarm, and a corps of guards responded and soon overpowered the convicts and placed them in other cells.

The convicts, James Thornton, P. T. Ellis, James McDonald and J. C. Millard, assert that they secured the revolvers and dynamite by express, but the authorities believe the dynamite was smuggled in by the friends of the convicts. An investigation was immediately instituted.

James McDonald and J. C. Millard came to the penitentiary three years ago on year sentences each for safe-blowing in Platte county, Missouri. They were released from Cape Girardeau county for safe-blowing in the same county.

Convict, Monday night, notified the warden of the penitentiary that an attempt to escape would be made, but he did not know when the plan was to be put in operation. As soon as the alarm was raised by Guard Williams, Tuesday morning, two shots were fired in the prison yard to attract all the convicts, and they speedily responded.

The dynamite was found to have been packed into packages to which were attached lumps of sealing wax. The prison officials to be utilized in the escape of the dynamite to the prison yard and they were to have been taken down.

## PROPER USE OF THE MAILS

Decision in the Case of W. W. O'Hara, Convicted at Cincinnati, Affirmed by Court of Appeals.

Cincinnati, April 6.—The United States circuit court of appeals affirmed the decision of District Judge Thompson, sentencing W. W. O'Hara, a year and 15 months' imprisonment and a fine of \$100, for using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

O'Hara formerly did an extensive business here as a turf commissioner. He has been in the west peddling his wares and was given 30 days in which to appear. This sentence is for one year and 15 months and the postal authorities may have other letters like it under their eyes. Additional prosecutions might be made.

## TEMPT TO LYNCH NEGRO

Attempt Work of Gov. Vandeman Probably Frustrated the Work of the Mob.

Jackson, Miss., April 6.—The negro, Baldwin, who killed Engineer Kelly some time ago, was started by the Tallahatchie county for his crime. When the train reached Tishia, he was sent to Gov. Vandeman that he was forming to take the negro to the train and lynch him. The governor immediately telegraphed the sheriff in charge to take the negro to Greenwood and keep him there, later sending a detachment of militia to take the negro to Sumner by special train. Baldwin is the negro, who was some time ago saved from lynching by military company to Batesburg, taking him to this city.

at the Wake at Nashville. The steamer, which arrived here Friday, was the cause of an earthquake at Nashville on Saturday last. A number of buildings were shaken down, but the greatest damage was done to the big breakwater that is being built by the Mexican government for the port of Tampico. The breakwater has been built, has sunk from the loss will be considerable.

at the Court House, O., April 4. Williams, one of the known Free Masons, in the city, died Sunday in the city. He was the master of the Ohio Masons from 1885 to 1886, the largest private and contributed to the Free Masons.

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## PRESS DELEGATES

Appointments to National Editorial Association and World's Press Parliament.

FROM KENTUCKY

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Last night the lists of Kentucky delegates to the National Editorial Association and the World's Press Parliament were announced by Paul M. Moore, President of the Kentucky Press Association. Both the N. E. A. and the Press Parliament will meet at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition the week of May 16-21. A number of the Kentucky delegates named have expressed their purpose to attend these great gatherings of newspaper men from the world over, hence a large and representative delegation of Kentuckians is expected at that time. The delegates named are as follows:

To National Editorial Association. Louis Landrum, Record, Lancaster; H. A. Sommers, News, Elizabethtown; Lew B. Brown, Democrat, Harrodsburg; Harry McCarty, Journal, Nicholasville; W. Q. Adams, Inquirer, Owensboro; R. W. Brown, Times, Louisville; L. W. Gaines, Progress, Elkton; T. C. Underwood, News Era, Hopkinsville; Wm. Henry Jones, Republican, Glasgow; M. F. Conley, The News, Louisa; Paul M. Moore, The Bee, Earlington.

To The Press Parliament.

R. E. Morningstar, Courier, Bowling Green; E. A. Gullion, Local, New Castle; R. E. Hughes, Courier-Journal, Louisville; Urey Woodson, News-Democrat, Paducah; W. C. Barrickman, Sentinel, Shelbyville; C. C. Givens, Gleaner, Henderson; Henry Lawrence, Record, Cadiz; Sam J. Roberts, Leader, Lexington; Tim Needham, Courier, Williams-town; E. C. Smith, Democrat, Carrollton; J. W. Hedden, Advocate, Mt. Vernon; J. J. Glenn, Graphic, Madisonville; Dan M. Bower, Sun, Versailles; D. B. Wallace, Independent, Warsaw; Heber Matthews, Herald, Hartford.

All newspaper men know what the National Editorial Association is. The World's Press Parliament is defined as "a conference of the greatest and most representative newspaper men upon subjects of general interest to newspaper workers throughout the world." Mr. Henry King, editor of St. Louis Globe-Democrat, is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the World's Press Parliament.

The week of May 16-21 is spoken of as Press Parliament Week, but the N. E. A. program will provide a large portion of the week's exercises. Mr. Walter Williams, Commissioner to the Foreign Press for the Exposition, writes that the N. E. A. "will be given the right of way for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning, and the World's Press Parliament occupies the remaining time." He also writes this cheering sentiment: "Kentucky editors will be welcome at the Parliament and at any other time." During Press Week large courtesies are promised to delegates to the N. E. A. and the Parliament. There will be good weather and more room than later, but from 3,000 to 4,000 newspaper people are expected there that week.

## FINE AND IMPRISONMENT

For Senator J. R. Burton—Six Months and \$2,500 Fine Is Sentence Imposed.

St. Louis, April 6.—United States Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, was today sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the Iron county jail and fined \$2,500 for having been convicted of using his influence before the Post-office Department in behalf of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company, of St. Louis, and having received payment from the company for his services.

Very Ill.

Mrs. John Ray Cardwell, a sister of Mrs. J. R. Dean, of this city, who lives in the country near this place is living at the point of death. She was taken with pneumonia Saturday last and rapidly grew worse. There is very little hope of her recovery. Mrs. Dean and other relatives were notified Wednesday and went to her bedside.

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